



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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DOCKET NUMBER FRP-06-AR-00042
ARKANSAS TERMINALING AND TRADING
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ROUTE 1-BOX 67A-CENTRAL AIRPORT ROAD
NORTH LITTLE ROCK AR 72117-

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NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT AND SUBSTANTIAL HARM

The U S Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received a Facility Response Plan for the above referenced facility. After a review of the plan, EPA has determined that your facility could reasonably be expected to cause significant and substantial harm to the environment by discharging oil into or on the navigable waters, adjoining shorelines, or exclusive economic zone. As such, your facility response plan will be reviewed for approval, along with other plans received.

Because of the volume of plans received, EPA will not be able to complete the required review and approval by August 18, 1993. Therefore, EPA is requesting facility owners or operators to certify that they have ensured by contract or other approved means the availability of private personnel and equipment necessary to respond, to the maximum extent practicable, to a worst case discharge or to a substantial threat of a discharge. In order for EPA to authorize your facility to operate without an approved plan after August 18, 1993, we ask you to provide this information to EPA by August 11, 1993. Refer to the proposed regulation (58 FR 8847) published on February 17, 1993, for guidance concerning a definition of "contracts or other approved means." Upon submission of acceptable certification, EPA will authorize your facility to operate without an approved response plan for up to 2 years after the date of plan submission in accordance with Clean Water Act section 311(j)(5)(F). Prior to the expiration of the extension, EPA will complete its review of the plan and notify you of the results.

Return certification information for the facility, referencing the docket number, to the following address:

U S EPA Region VI
Contingency Planning Section
P O Box 303
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Sincerely,

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